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DOCUMENT NUMBER:	N21000006518			
The enclosed Articles of Art	nendment and fee are sub	mitted for filing.		
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# Articles of Amendment to Articles of Incorporation of

HILLTOP CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP, INC. (Name of Corporation as currently filed with the Florida Dept. of State) N21000006518 (Document Number of Corporation (if known) Pursuant to the provisions of section 617.1006, Florida Statutes, this Florida Not For Profit Corporation adopts the following amendment(s) to its Articles of Incorporation: A. If amending name, enter the new name of the corporation: n/a name must be distinguishable and contain the word "corporation" or "incorporated" or the abbreviation "Corp." or "Inc." "Company" or "Co." may not be used in the name. n/a B. Enter new principal office address, if applicable: (Principal office address MUST BE A STREET ADDRESS) C. Enter new mailing address, if applicable: (Mailing address MAY BE A POST OFFICE BOX) D. If amending the registered agent and/or registered office address in Florida, enter the name of the new registered agent and/or the new registered office address: Name of New Registered Agent: (Florida street address) New Registered Office Address: , Florida (City) (Zip Code) New Registered Agent's Signature, if changing Registered Agent: I hereby accept the appointment as registered agent. I am familiar with and accept the obligations of the position. Signature of New Registered Agent, if changing

If amending the Officers and/or Directors, enter the title and name of each officer/director being removed and title, name, and address of each Officer and/or Director being added:

(Attach additional sheets, if necessary)

Please note the officer/director title by the first letter of the office title:

P = President; V = Vice President; T = Treasurer; S = Secretary; D = Director; TR = Trustee; C = Chairman or Clerk; CEO = Chief Executive Officer; CFO = Chief Financial Officer. If an officer/director holds more than one title, list the first letter of each office held. President, Treasurer, Director would be PTD.

Changes should be noted in the following manner. Currently John Doe is listed as the PST and Mike Jones is listed as the V. There is a change, Mike Jones leaves the corporation, Sally Smith is named the V and S. These should be noted as John Doe, PT as a Change, Mike Jones, V as Remove, and Sally Smith, SV as an Add.

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	There are no members or members entitled to vote on the amendment(s). The amendment(s) was/were adopted by the board of directors.		
Dated	2/22/2024		

(By the chairman or vice chairman of the board, president or other officer-if directors have not been selected, by an incorporator—if in the hands of a receiver, trustee, or other court appointed fiduciary by that fiduciary)

STEPHEN J. BYERS
(Typed or printed name of person signing)

PRESIDENT, Hilltop Christian Fellowship Inc.
(Title of person signing)

# ARTICLES OF AMENDMENT TO ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF HILLTOP CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP, INC.

The undersigned incorporator, for the purpose of forming a Corporation under the provisions of Chapter 617 of the Florida Statutes, the Florida Not for Profit Corporation Act, does hereby adopt the following Articles of Incorporation:

## ARTICLE I - NAME

The name of the Corporation is: HILLTOP CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP, INC.

# **ARTICLE II - PRINCIPAL OFFICE**

The address of the principal office of this Corporation is 4741 Ashville Highway, Monticello, Florida 32344, and the mailing address is the same.

# ARTICLE III - PURPOSE

The purpose of this Corporation is to engage in any activity or business permitted under the laws of the United States and of the State of Florida and not for pecuniary profit. The specific purpose of the corporation will be to provide worship services as a church and to preach and to spread the good news of the gospel of Jesus Christ. To the extent permitted by Code Section 501(c)(3), the Corporation is organized exclusively for one or more of the following purposes: religious, educational purposes in the furthering of religious pursuits in youth and adults in the community, nation and throughout the world. All references to "Code" are to the Internal Revenue" Code of 1986 as amended or to corresponding provisions of future federal tax legislation.

# **ARTICLE IV - BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

The manner in which the directors are elected or appointed are stated in the bylaws of the corporation. The affairs of the Corporation shall be managed by a Board of Directors consisting of no less than three directors. The number of directors may be increased from time to time in accordance with the bylaws of the corporation, but may never be less than three. The directors shall be protected from personal liability to the fullest extent permitted by law.

# ARTICLE V - INITIAL BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The name and address of the initial Board of Directors and Officers shall be:

STEPHEN J. BYERS 4741 Ashville Highway Monticello, Florida 32344 PRESIDENT & DIRECTOR

KYLE FRENCH 2574 NW 38<sup>th</sup> Street Boca Raton, Florida 33434

SECRETARY & DIRECTOR

JOHN BALENO 1456 E. Bexley Drive Delray Beach, Florida 33445 VICE PRESIDENT & DIRECTOR

# **ARTICLE VI - INCORPORATOR**

The name and address of the incorporator is:

STEPHEN J. BYERS 4741 Ashville Highway Monticello, Florida 32344

# ARTICLE VII - REGISTERED AGENT

The street address of the initial registered office of this Corporation is 4741 - CASHVILLE AshVILLE Highway, Monticello, Florida 32344 and the name of its initial Registered Agent at that address is STEPHEN J. BYERS.

# ARTICLE VIII - TERM OF EXISTENCE

The period of duration of this corporation is perpetual.

# ARTICLE IX – QUALIFICATIONS OF MEMBERSHIP

The categories of memberships, qualifications of memberships and the manner of admission shall be set forth in and regulated by the By Laws of the Corporation.

# **ARTICLE X - VOTING RIGHTS**

Members of the corporation will have such voting rights as are provided for in the By Laws of the Corporation.

### **ARTICLE XI - LIMITATIONS**

No part of the net earnings of the Corporation shall inure to the benefit of its directors, officers, members or other private persons, except that the Corporation shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of any of its purposes. Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles of Incorporation, the Corporation shall not carry on any activities except those permitted to be carried on by a Church corporation exempt from federal income tax under the Internal Revenue Code.

# ARTICLE XII - RIGHT TO AMEND

This Corporation reserves the right to amend, alter, change or repeal any provision contained in these Articles of Incorporation, or in any amendment hereto, or to add any provision to these Articles of Incorporation or to any amendment hereto, by a majority vote of the board of directors currently in office at any regular or special meeting called for that purpose.

# ARTICLE XIII - DISSOLUTION

Upon the dissolution or winding up of the Corporation, the assets remaining after payment (or provision for payment) of the Corporation's debts and liabilities shall be distributed to a church and/or a not-for-profit corporation, trust, community fund or foundation that has established its tax exempt status under Code Section 501(c)(3). As the board of directors shall determine.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned, being the incorporator named above, for the purpose of forming this Corporation to do business both within and without the State of Florida, under the laws of Florida, make and file these Amended Articles of Incorporation, approved and implemented by and in compliance with this Corporations Right to Amend Article article on December 18, 2023, declaring and certifying that the facts stated above are true, and hereunto set my hand and seal this 22 day of February, 2024.

STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF PALM BEACH

The foregoing document was acknowledged before me by STEPHEN J. BYERS by means of physical presence or \_\_\_\_ by using audio visual communications for a remote online notary, who is personally known to me \_\_\_ or has produced her \_\_\_\_ as proof of identification and who did personally take an oath.

My Commission Expires:



ROBERT L. SHEARIN Commission # HH 099789 Expires April 3, 2025

NOTARY PUBLIC

# ACCEPTANCE OF REGISTERED AGENT DESIGNATED IN ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

I, STEPHEN J. BYERS, having been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in this certificate, I hereby accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity. I further agree to comply with the provisions of all statutes relating to the proper and complete performance of my duties, and I am familiar with and accept the obligations of my position as registered agent.